

Message

**From:** Bird, Patrick [/O=EXCHANGELABS/OU=EXCHANGE ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=8376934BF605424D8E870C10744090EC-BIRD, PATRICK]  
**Sent:** 1/6/2022 8:24:54 PM  
**To:** Dain, Gregory [Dain.Greg@epa.gov]  
**CC:** Howlett, Careyanne [Howlett.Careyanne@epa.gov]; Wortman, Eric [Wortman.Eric@epa.gov]  
**Subject:** RE: FOR HQ REVIEW: South Fork RTC & Final Permit

Hi Greg,

Here's the provision Lynne was referencing.

# Ex. 5 Attorney Client (AC)

Do mind taking a look?

Thanks,

Pat

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**From:** Hamjian, Lynne <Hamjian.Lynne@epa.gov>  
**Sent:** Thursday, January 6, 2022 9:42 AM  
**To:** Wortman, Eric <Wortman.Eric@epa.gov>; Bird, Patrick <Bird.Patrick@epa.gov>  
**Cc:** Greene, Cynthia <Greene.Cynthia@epa.gov>; Dain, Gregory <Dain.Greg@epa.gov>; Howlett, Careyanne <Howlett.Careyanne@epa.gov>  
**Subject:** RE: FOR HQ REVIEW: South Fork RTC & Final Permit

☺I must have heard you!

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**From:** Wortman, Eric <Wortman.Eric@epa.gov>  
**Sent:** Thursday, January 6, 2022 9:40 AM  
**To:** Hamjian, Lynne <Hamjian.Lynne@epa.gov>; Bird, Patrick <Bird.Patrick@epa.gov>  
**Cc:** Greene, Cynthia <Greene.Cynthia@epa.gov>; Dain, Gregory <Dain.Greg@epa.gov>; Howlett, Careyanne <Howlett.Careyanne@epa.gov>  
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Thanks Lynne. It's funny because we actually discussed this exact point and ultimately came to the conclusion that the highlighted text is relative to the comment and left it in. We can discuss it at our meeting today. - Eric

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**From:** Hamjian, Lynne <Hamjian.Lynne@epa.gov>  
**Sent:** Thursday, January 6, 2022 8:11 AM  
**To:** Bird, Patrick <Bird.Patrick@epa.gov>; Wortman, Eric <Wortman.Eric@epa.gov>  
**Cc:** Greene, Cynthia <Greene.Cynthia@epa.gov>; Dain, Gregory <Dain.Greg@epa.gov>; Howlett, Careyanne

<Howlett.Careyanne@epa.gov>

**Subject:** RE: FOR HQ REVIEW: South Fork RTC & Final Permit

Pat & Eric,

# Ex. 5 Deliberative Process (DP)

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**From:** Bird, Patrick <Bird.Patrick@epa.gov>

**Sent:** Wednesday, January 5, 2022 4:58 PM

**To:** Hamjian, Lynne <Hamjian.Lynne@epa.gov>

**Subject:** RE: FOR HQ REVIEW: South Fork RTC & Final Permit

No worries at all.

I'd prefer to meet briefly. We can at least start the conversation. I'll take a look at the comment you made on the docs tomorrow morning.

Thanks,

Pat

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**From:** Hamjian, Lynne <Hamjian.Lynne@epa.gov>

**Sent:** Wednesday, January 5, 2022 4:07 PM

**To:** Bird, Patrick <Bird.Patrick@epa.gov>

**Subject:** RE: FOR HQ REVIEW: South Fork RTC & Final Permit

Reading backwards so if meeting tomorrow keeps Eric in the mix, let's do it. Sorry about my backwards habits – most of the time it works and saves me time if I read the whole exchange. Thanks.

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**From:** Bird, Patrick <Bird.Patrick@epa.gov>

**Sent:** Wednesday, January 5, 2022 3:48 PM

**To:** Hamjian, Lynne <Hamjian.Lynne@epa.gov>; Greene, Cynthia <Greene.Cynthia@epa.gov>

**Subject:** RE: FOR HQ REVIEW: South Fork RTC & Final Permit

Fantastic. Thank you, Lynne. Eric is out starting tomorrow afternoon and Friday, so I'll shoot for a check in with you on Monday. And I'll be sure to let you know once HQ is clear of the specific sections we've ID'd for them to review. That will clear the way for you to review the remainder of the document.

I'll schedule something with you for Monday.

Pat

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**From:** Hamjian, Lynne <Hamjian.Lynne@epa.gov>

**Sent:** Wednesday, January 5, 2022 3:28 PM

**To:** Bird, Patrick <Bird.Patrick@epa.gov>; Greene, Cynthia <Greene.Cynthia@epa.gov>

**Subject:** RE: FOR HQ REVIEW: South Fork RTC & Final Permit

Pat,

Thanks for sending this to me early. I completed most of my review today. I only had a couple of comments. I plan to look at the sections flagged for HQ once you let me know when they are done. I may want to briefly speak to you and Eric to get the gist of any of their concerns and comments and to ask one or two questions. We can do that next week. I am leaving the finer cross-checking of the track changes against the RTC to you, although I did read through them all briefly and they seemed to follow the RTC. Thanks much for all you work on this.

Lynne

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**From:** Bird, Patrick <Bird.Patrick@epa.gov>

**Sent:** Tuesday, January 4, 2022 9:15 AM

**To:** Hamjian, Lynne <Hamjian.Lynne@epa.gov>; Greene, Cynthia <Greene.Cynthia@epa.gov>

**Subject:** RE: FOR HQ REVIEW: South Fork RTC & Final Permit

Hi Lynne and Cynthia,

Can you check whether Deb wants a briefing on this? I'm working under the assumption of 'no,' but I also don't know whether I've asked you this question head on.

Thank you,

Pat

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**From:** Bird, Patrick

**Sent:** Tuesday, January 4, 2022 7:02 AM

**To:** Hamjian, Lynne <Hamjian.Lynne@epa.gov>; Greene, Cynthia <Greene.Cynthia@epa.gov>

Cc: Wortman, Eric <Wortman.Eric@epa.gov>

Subject: RE: FOR HQ REVIEW: South Fork RTC & Final Permit

Hi Lynne and Cynthia,

As I mentioned yesterday, we circulated the South Fork permit and RTC to HQ for review. Below is Eric's message to the HQ reviewer where he IDs the specific sections we're seeking their review. If you could begin your review on other portions of the RTC and permit this week, we should be in good shape to send you a final version early next week and then circulate to Deb late next week. As an FYI, Jessica Montanez is out this week so our request for HQ review to be completed by COB Thursday will be bumped a little by at least one reviewer.

We have a meeting with OPA scheduled with OPA on Jan 10<sup>th</sup>, and we have already shared with them a draft PR and comms plan.

Thanks,

Pat

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**From:** Wortman, Eric <Wortman.Eric@epa.gov>

**Sent:** Monday, January 3, 2022 1:27 PM

**To:** Doster, Brian <Doster.Brian@epa.gov>; Montanez, Jessica <Montanez.Jessica@epa.gov>

**Cc:** Putney, David <putney.david@epa.gov>; Brachtl, Megan <Brachtl.Megan@epa.gov>; Boyd, Rochelle <Boyd.Rochelle@epa.gov>; Bird, Patrick <Bird.Patrick@epa.gov>; Dain, Gregory <Dain.Greg@epa.gov>; Kipka, Undine <kipka.undine@epa.gov>; Howlett, Careyanne <Howlett.Careyanne@epa.gov>; Curley, Michael <Curley.Michael@epa.gov>

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Brian and Jessica,

Happy New Year!

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Here are the links to the RTC document and the RLSO of the final permit.

[South Fork Final RTC OCS-R1-04.docx](#)

[Redline-Strikeout SFW Final Permit OCS-R1-04.docx](#)

If needed for reference, other permit documents can be found online at: <https://www.epa.gov/caa-permitting/south-fork-wind-llcs-south-fork-windfarm-draft-outer-continental-shelf-air-permit>

In order to stay on target for internal routing and permit issuance on 1/18, **we are requesting your comments by COB Thursday, 1/6.**

Thanks,

Eric

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